

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)**Docket No.
HOE96/F319CONIn Re Application Of: **Schwertfeger et al.**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/817,459	March 26, 2001	Daniel S. Metzmaier		1712	1602

Invention: **ORGANICALLY MODIFIED AEROGELS, METHOD FOR THEIR PRODUCTION BY SURFACE MODIFICATION OF THE AQUEOUS GEL WITHOUT PREVIOUS SOLVENT EXCHANGE AND SUBSEQUENT DRYING AND THEIR USE THEREOF****COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of February 24, 2005 in the above-identified application. Notice of Appeal was previously submitted on May 23, 2005.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: July 23, 2005 until: August 23, 2005
Date Date

The fee for the extension of time is \$120 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-0060
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 03-0060
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.


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Dated: August 1, 2005

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